

PATENT APPLICATION  
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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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In regard to the application of James A. McClung entitled METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR ALIGNING COMPONENTS OF A PRESS being filed concurrently herewith, the attached Form PTO-1449 is being submitted in compliance with 37 CFR 1.56 and 37 CFR 1.97 through 1.99.

No prior art search was conducted prior to the preparation of this application. The prior art set forth on Form PTO-1449 (a copy of which is enclosed) is of general interest to the present invention.

However, the prior art set forth on Form PTO-1449 should not be construed as a representation that no better art exists, or that the information included therein is non-cumulative.

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